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FOLLOWING REPEAT ALEXANDRIA 0647 ACTION TEL AVIV SECSTATE
AUGUST 6.

QUOTE: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE ALEXANDRIA 0647

TEL AVIV FOR SAIC/ROCHE AND DEPT FOR SY/PRS ASSISTANT
DIRECTOR; SY/PRS/SD/SAIC; AND SY/CC/TAGS

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SUBJECT: SECRETARY VANCE'S TRIP TO MIDDLE EAST - PRELIMINARY
SURVEY REPORT OF ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT

1. THIS PRELIMINARY SURVEY REPORT WAS CONDUCTED IN AND
AROUND ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT FROM 3 AUGUST THROUGH 6 AUGUST
1978 BY FOLLOWING PERSONNEL: SA JEFF BOZWORTH, LEAD
ADVANCE' SA STEVE JACOBS, SITE AND INTELLIGENCE ADVANCE;
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SA GARY MARVIN, SITE ADVANCE; AND RSO O'HANLON.
ITINERARY: AS OF 6 AUGUST, 1500 HOURS

7 AUGUST 1978

1255 WHEELS DOWN GIANACLIS AIRPORT

1310 DEPART GIANACLIS AIRPORT VIA HELICOPTERS

1330 ARRIVE NUZHA AIRPORT; PRESS STATEMENT

1335 MOTORCADE TO PALESTINE HOTEL

1410 ARRIVE AT HOTEL

2020 DEPART HOTEL FOR MAAMURA (PRESIDENT SADAT'S
SUMMER HOME)

2030 ARRIVE MAAMURA (OPEN RETURN)
(DEPENDING UPON RESULT OF CONFERNECE AND THE POSSIBILITY
OF AN EARLY DEPARTURE FOR WASHINGTON, 9 AUGUST SCHEDULE
MAY TAKE PLACE ON 8 AUGUST.)

8 AUGUST

THERE IS NO SCHEDULED MOVE AWAY FROM THE PALESTINE
HOTEL.

2020 DEPARTURE FROM MAAMURA

2030 ARRIVAL MAAMURA (OPEN RETURN)

9 AUGUST
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0840 DEPART HOTEL VIA MOTORCADE FOR NUZHA

0910 ARRIVE NUZHA

0920 HELICOPTER DEPARTURE FROM NUZHA

0945 ARRIVE GIANACLIS AIRPORT

1000 WHEELS UP

2. ITINERARY (MRS. VANCE):

7 AUGUST 1978

NO SCHEDULED MOVES AWAY FROM HOTEL.

8 AUGUST 1978

1015 DEPART FRO RAS-AL-TIN PALACE

1050 ARRIVE PALACE

1140 DEPART PALACE

1215 ARRIVE CONGEN RESIDENCE

1500 DEPART FOR HOTEL

9 AUGUST 1978

NO SEPARATE MOVES FROM THE SECRETARY.

3. AIRPORT ARRIVAL:

(A) TWO RAMPS WILL BE UTILIZED. SECSTATE WILL BE MET
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AT BOTTOM OF RAMP BY FM AND MRS. KAMEL. AFTER A SHORT
ARRIVAL CEREMONY, THEY WILL DEPART BY HELICOPTER TO
NUZHA AIRPORT. FIVE HELICOPTERS WILL BE USED TO TRANSPORT
ALL PERSONNEL ON PLANE TO NUZHA.

(B) HELICOPTERS PROCEED 20 MINUTES TO NUZHA MILITARY
AIRPORT. LANDING IN REVERSE ORDER FROM TAKE-OFF. A
PRESS STATEMENT BY SECRETARY IS ANTICIPATED ON TARMAC.
HE PROCEEDS THROUGH THE VIP LOUNGE TO THE WAITING MOTOR-
CADE AND DEPARTS EN ROUTE TO PALESTINE HOTEL.

4. TRANSPORTATION:

(A) UPON ARRIVAL AT GIANACCLIS, A BACK-UP MOTORCADE
CONSISTING OF AN UNARMORED LIMOUSINE, FOLLOW CAR AND
MARKED POLICE LEAD WILL BE ON STANDBY.

(B) MOTORCADE FOR ALL MOVES, BEGINNING WITH ARRIVAL AT
NUZHA, WILL CONSIST OF FOLLOWING:

1. A 5-MINUTE CAR - MARKED POLICE VEHICLE, US EOD
2. MARKED POLICE PILOT
3. STATE SECURITY UNMARKED CAR - BOZWORTH, RSO
AND GOE SUPERVISOR.
4. ARMORED LIMOUSINE - PROVIDED BY GOE - GOE
DRIVER, SAIC ROCHE RIGHT FRONT, GOE MIDDLE FRONT.
5. SY FOLLOW - FOUR SY, DOCTOR IN WELL, CHEVRO-
LET WAGON
6. GOE FOLLOW
7. CAR NO. 1: STAFF
8. CAR NO. 2: MRS. VANCE AND ONE SY
9. GOE FOLLOW
10. CAR NO. 3: ATHERTON

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11. CAR NO. 4: AMBASSADOR EILTS, ONE SY/SECRETARY
SPARE LIMOUSINE (ARMORED)

12. SY/GOE FOLLOW CAR
13. NINE ADDITIONAL STAFF CARS
14. MARKED POLICE TAIL
15. TWO REACTION JEEPS
16. FOUR MOTORCYCLES WILL COVER THE SECRETARY'S LIMOUSINE
17. TWO MOTORCYCLES WILL COVER MRS. VANCE'S LIMO

5. SITES:

(1) GIANACLIS MILITARY AIRPORT. AIRPORT IS LOCATED 90 KMS FROM ALEXANDRIA AND IS SECURED 24 HOURS BY EGYPTIAN MILITARY POLICE. SA BOZWORTH AND RSO O'HANLON WILL BE THE ONLY TWO AMERICAN SECURITY AT THIS SITE FOR THE ARRIVAL. PLANE AGENTS SHOULD BE PREPARED TO WORK THE PRINCIPAL UNTIL HIS EMBARKATION ON THE HELICOPTER. THEN THE AGENTS (LESS RASKIN) WILL BOARD HELICOPTER NUMBER 3 AND BE TRANSPORTED TO NUZHA.

(2) NUZHA AIR BASE IS A TACTICAL AIRFIELD IMMEDIATE SOUTH OF MID-CITY ALEXANDRIA. SECURITY AT NUZHA WILL BE PROVIDED BY MILITARY, PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY, AND STATE SECURITY PERSONNEL. THE MILITARY PROVIDES CONTINUAL PERIMETER SECURITY FOR THE BASE AND, IN ADDITION, DURING ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THE SECRETARY WILL PROVIDE AN INNER PERIMETER WHICH WILL INCLUDE THE TARMAC, TERMINAL AND PARKING AREA. PRESS WILL BE SCREENED BY U.S. MILITARY EOD AND CONTAINED BY STATE DEPARTMENT SPECIAL AGENT BEHIND WAIST-HIGH WALL AT THE CENTER OF THE TERMINAL. ON ARRIVAL, AIC WILL KEY ON SA MARVIN AND PROCEED TO MICROPHONE STATIONED APPROXIMATELY 15 FEET IN FRONT OF THE PRESS LINE (IF A PRESS STATEMENT IS TO BE GIVEN). AFTER THE PRESS STATEMENT OR IF NONE IS GIVEN, THE SECRETARY WILL PROCEED TO RED CARPET LIMITED OFFICIAL USE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AND FOLLOW RED CARPET THROUGH THE VIP HOLDING LOUNGE IN THE TERMINAL AND BOARD THE WAITING MOTORCADE FOR DEPARTURE TO THE HOTEL. AGENTS DEPLANING, ACCOMPANIED BY DOCTOR, WILL GO DIRECTLY TO THE FOLLOW CAR. PRE-POSTED AGENTS WILL WORK THE SECRETARY FROM THE HELICOPTERS TO THE MOTORCADE. DEPLANING AGENTS WILL WORK THE MOTORCADE TO THE HOTEL. DEPLANING AGENTS WILL LAND APPROXIMATELY TEN MINUTES PRIOR TO THE SECRETARY.

(3) PALESTINE HOTEL. ARRIVAL AT PALESTINE HOTEL WILL BE MET CURBSIDE BY SA JACOBS. THE PRESS WILL BE SECURED BY ONE SY AGENT AND THE LOBBY BY ONE SY AGENT AND GOE STATE SECURITY. THE SECRETARY WILL POSSIBLY BE GREETED BY THE HOTEL GENERAL MANAGER, MR. HASSAN EL SAIED, AND ESCORTED TO HIS SUITE.

THE CORRIDOE OF THE SIXTH FLOOR WILL BE SECURED BY ONE SY AT THE SUITE DOOR AND ONE SY AS HE DESEMBARKS FROM THE ELIVATOR AND GOE STATE SECURITY.

(4) GOE STATE SECURITY FORCES. THEY HAVE COMPLETE RESPONSIBILITY FOR HOTEL SECURITY. THE HOTEL IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC; HOWEVER, NO GUEST WILL BE RESIDING ON THE FOURTH, FIFTH AND SIXTH FLOORS AS THEY ARE RESERVED FOR THE OFFICIAL PARTY AND STAFF. THE PRIMARY ENTRANCE TO THE HOTEL WILL BE CLOSED TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND PARKING FACILITIES IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL WILL BE EXCLUSIVELY UTILIZED BY OFFICIAL VEHICLES. THE TWO ELEVATORS OFF THE PRIMARY ENTRANCE OF THE HOTEL WILL BE RESERVED FOR SERVICING THE AFOREMDNTIONED FLOORS. PARTITIONS SEPARATING THE FRONT OF THE HOTEL FROM THE REAR WILL BE UTILIZED, THUS CLOSING OFF PUBLIC ACCESS. WHEN MOVING IN THE ELEVATOR, ONE SAIC AND ONE ADVANCE AGENT WILL ACCOMPANY THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
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SECRETARY. GOE STATE SECURITY WILL ALWAYS SECURE THE ELEVATORS FOR ANY MOVEMENT. SHIFT AGENTS ON ARRIVALS WILL WORK THE SECRETARY AS FAR AS THE ELEVATOR. ON DEPARTURES, SHIFT AGENTS WILL BE PREPOSTED IN THE LOBBY AND/OR CURBSIDE AS NECESSARY. POSTS AT PALESTINE HOTEL:

- POST NO. 1 - SUITE DOOR
- POST NO. 2 - CP
- POST NO. 3 - VEHICLES

POST 1 AND 2 WILL BE MAINTAINED WHEN THE SECRETARY IS AWAY FROM THE HOTEL.
GOE STATE SECURITY HAS CONDUCTED NAME CHECKS ON ALL HOTEL EMPLOYEES.

(6) MAAMURA. MAAMURA IS PRESIDENT SADAT'S SUMMER HOME AND IS PERMANENTLY SECURED BY PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY. A SPECIAL PASS, ISSUED BY PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY, IS MANDATORY FOR ALL INDIVIDUALS ENTERING COMPOUND. UPON THE SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL, THE ENTIRE MOTORCADE WILL PROCEED THROUGH THE GATES AND WILL STOP NEAR THE HOUSE FOR PASSENGERS TO DISEMBARK. SAIC ROCHE WILL REMAIN WITH THE SECRETARY, OR IN NEAR PROXIMITY, AT ALL TIMES WHILE AT MAAMURA. THE MOTORCADE AND AGENTS WILL BE MOVED TO A LOCATION APPROXIMATELY 150 METERS FROM THE MEETING LOCATION. IT IS THOUGHT THAT THE MEETING WILL BE HELD OUTDOORS. THE PRESS WILL BE PRESENT, BUT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY.
ONLY MONDAY NIGHT'S MEETING WITH SADAT HAS BEEN FIRMED

UP. SHOULD A SECOND MEETING TAKE PLACE TUESDAY
EVENING, THE ROUTING WILL BE THE SAME.

6. IDENTIFICATION: SY WHIPT SYSTEM WILL BE IN EFFECT
AT ALL STOPS OTHER THAN MAAMURA. ALL LETTERS WILL BE
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USED FOR THEIR STANDARD PURPOSE. ALL PERSONS SHOULD
DISPLAY PINS AT ALL TIMES, BOTH ON AND OFF DUTY.
THE SY WHIPT SYSTEM IS RECTANGULAR YELLOW ON GREEN.
SY ISSUE EOD PINS ARE ALSO BEING USED, SY ORANGE
LAPEL PINS WILL BE WORN BY AGENTS.
ALL PLAINCLOTHES, GOE ARMED SECURITY PERSONNEL, OTHER
THAN THE PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY, WILL WEAR THE W PIN
AS WILL AS U.S. MARINES. THE PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY
STAFF AT MAAMURA WILL NOT WEAR EXTERNAL IDENTIFICATION.
HOTEL PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO REPORT TO
THE CP TO BE PINNED AS THEY ARE NEEDED ON THE FLOOR.
TSO AND OC HAVE BEEN ISSUED I PINS. THE U.S. PRESS
TRAVELING ON THE PLANE WILL WEAR YELLOW/WHITE SECRETARY
OF STATE PRESS PASS. THE GOE OFFICIAL PRESS PASS WILL
BE UTILIZED BY ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PRESS.

7. SECURITY: ALL ROUTES WILL BE UNANNOUNCED. GOE
HAS PROMISED TO SECURE EACH ROUTE AND OVERPASS WITH
POLICE AND MILITARY PERSONNEL. COPIES OF THE ROUTES
AND ALTERNATE ROUTES WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE CP.
SITE SECURITY AT ALL LOCATIONS WILL BE IN EFFECT BY
11:00. SITES WILL BE SECURED BY COMBINATIONS OF SY,
GOE STATE SECURITY, PRESIDENTIAL SECURITY, LOCAL
POLICE AND MILITARY PERSONNEL.
NAME CHECKS ON ALL NON-GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL THAT WILL
BE IN THE PROXIMITY OF PRINCIPAL HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED
BY GOE SECURITY FORCES.
EOD AND TSO WILL CONDUCT ALL APPROPRIATE SWEEPS AND
BE ON STANDBY DURING ENTIRE VISIT. ONE EOD TEAM WILL
BE WITH THE MOTORCADE ON ALL MOVES AND ONE TEAM IN
THE HOTEL AT ALL TIMES. PACKAGE ROOM IS 130 AND 131.
THE DESK HAS BEEN ADVISED TO ROUTE ALL PACKAGES
ACCORDINGLY.
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IN ADDITION TO THE TRAVELING PHYSICIAN, THE CONGEN
HAS REQUESTED THE CONSULATE'S MEDICAL ADVISOR TO BE
AVAILABLE IN CASE HE IS NEEDED. ALSO, AN AMERICAN
DENTIST IS AVAILABLE. THE APPROPRIATE CONTACTS HAVE
BEEN MADE AT THE BEST QUALIFIED LOCAL HOSPITAL.
THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY TEN

MINUTES FROM THE PALESTINE HOTEL AND FALLS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GOE STATE SECURITY POLICE. STATE SECURITY ADVISES THEIR EQUIPMENT IS CAPABLE OF DEALING WITH ANY SITUATION IN THEIR FIELD THAT COULD DEVELOP ON THE SIXTH FLOOR OF THE HOTEL.

8. COMMUNICATION: F1 WILL BE THE REPEATER SYSTEM. F2 WILL BE USED FOR AGENT-TO-AGENT. RADIO COMMUNICATION IS IMPOSSIBLE FROM GIANACLIS TO ANY OTHER SITE. IT HAS BEEN PROMISED A REMP PHONE WILL BE INSTALLED. THE AMBASSADOR'S DETAIL WILL ALSO BE UTILIZING FREQUENCIES 1 AND 2, THEREFORE, RADIO TRAFFIC SHOULD BE KEPT TO A MINIMUM.

CALL SIGNS:

SECRETARY VANCE -FADEAWAY
MRS. VANCE -FLOODLIGHT
SY FOLLOW -FALLBACK
CP -BACKSTOP
AMBASSADOR EILTS -CAMEL 31
CIANACLIS AIRPORT -LOCATION 1
NUZHA AIRPORT -LOCATION 2
PALESTINE HOTEL -LOCATION 3
MAAMURA -LOCATION 4

9. AGENT INSTRUCTIONS: AT GIANACLIS AIRPORT ON THE ARRIVAL, SAIC ROCHE WILL ESCORT THE SECRETARY ON HELICOPTER NUMBER 1. THE FOREIGN MINISTER AND HIS SECURITY AGENTS WILL ALSO BE ON BOARD. THE REMAINING LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
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PLANE AGENTS (LESS RASKIN) BOARD HELICOPTER 3. BOZWORTH AND RSO BOARD HELICOPTER NUMBER 5. HELICOPTERS DEPART IN NUMBERED SEQUENTIAL ORDER AND LAND IN REVERSE ORDER.
RASKIN WILL ACCOMPANY THE SECRETARY'S BAGGAGE FROM THE STANDBY MOTORCADE AND PROCEED DIRECTLY TO THE PALESTINE HOTEL.
AT NUZHA AIRPORT, UPON DISEMBARKING HELICPTER NUMBER 3, THE REMAINING PLANE AGENTS, TO INCLUDE ASAIC WALTERS, WILL BE MET AND DIRECTED TO THE SY FOLLOW CAR. ONE PLANE AGENT WILL ACCOMPANY MRS. VANCE RIDING RIGHT FRONT OF HER LIMOUSINE. SHIFT CHANGE FOR MONDAY WILL BE MADE AT 1600 AND 2400. TUESDAY AT 0800, 1600 AND 2400. WEDNESDAY AT 0700. 4 TO 12 SHIFT WILL BE PRE-POSTED FOR THE ARRIVAL AND POSSIBLY FOR THE DEPARTURE.

10. CONTACT LIST: THE CONTACT LIST HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED AT THIS TIME. IT WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE CP.

11. INTELLIGENCE: COORDINATION BETWEEN SY INTELLIGENCE, EMBASSY REPRESENTATIVES AND EGYPTIAN COUNTER-TERRORIST INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES HAVE DEVELOPED NO INDICATIONS OF PLANNED DEMONSTRATIONS, TERRORIST ACTIVITIES OR PERSONAL THREATS DIRECTED AT THE SECRETARY OR THE VISIT IN GENERAL. APPROPRIATE CONTACTS AND ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO ENSURE THE IMMEDIATE COMMUNICATION OF ANY ADVERSE INFORMATION WHICH SHOULD DEVELOP.

ALL SOURCES ADVISED THAT THERE IS A SUBSTANTIAL DEGREE OF RISK INVOLVED IN THIS VISIT AND THAT SECURITY PRECAUTIONS SHOULD BE MAINTAINED AT THE MAXIMUM AT ALL TIMES. MCCLELLAND UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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